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6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
7 AT SEATTLE

8 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

9 Plaintiff,

10 v.

11 CHRISTIAN DJOKO,

12 Defendant.

Case No. CR19-146 JCC

DETENTION ORDER

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14 Offenses charged:

15 Count 1: Conspiracy to Engage in Cyberstalking in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 371

16 Count 2: Interstate Stalking in violation of 18 U.S.C. §§ 2 and 2261A(2)(A) and
17 (2)(B)

18 Date of Detention Hearing: August 16, 2019

19 The Court, having conducted a detention hearing pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3142(f), and
based upon the reasons stated on the record and as set forth below, finds:

20 FINDINGS OF FACT AND STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR DETENTION

- 21 1. The government alleges that the Defendant obstructed justice by deleting material
22 information from his mobile device upon learning of state court charges arising
23 out of this case. The government proffered evidence that forensic examination of

1 the mobile device revealed that the location data and text messages had been
2 deleted from the phone the day after charges in a related case were filed.

3 2. Defendant is alleged to have assaulted the victim in this case on one occasion.

4 3. Defendant is alleged to have devised a scheme to have the victim deported to
5 Cameroon for the purpose of subjecting the victim to a risk of death or serious
6 bodily injury because the victim is homosexual.

7 4. To further the scheme, the Defendant allegedly provided false information to
8 USCIS in an effort to have the victim deported to Cameroon.

9 5. Defendant does not have stable employment, is not currently enrolled in school,
10 and does not have a stable residence.

11 6. Defendant was arrested on charges of sexual exploitation while on pretrial release
12 for a state court matter related to the instant one.

13 7. Defendant has at least three failures to appears for misdemeanor charges.

14 8. The Court finds that there is a serious risk that Defendant will attempt to obstruct
15 justice. The Court also finds that Defendant poses a risk of danger due to the
16 above allegations of assault and plot to have the victim deported and harmed.

17 There does not appear to be any condition or combination of conditions that will
18 reasonably assure the defendant's appearance at future court hearings while
19 addressing the danger to other persons or the community.

20 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

21 (1) Defendant shall be detained pending trial, and committed to the custody of the
22 Attorney General for confinement in a correction facility separate, to the extent
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1 practicable, from persons awaiting or serving sentences or being held in custody
2 pending appeal;

3 (2) Defendant shall be afforded reasonable opportunity for private consultation with
4 counsel;

5 (3) On order of a court of the United States or on request of an attorney for the
6 government, the person in charge of the corrections facility in which defendant is
7 confined shall deliver the defendant to a United States Marshal for the purpose of
8 an appearance in connection with a court proceeding; and

9 (4) The Clerk shall direct copies of this Order to counsel for the United States, to
10 counsel for the defendant, to the United States Marshal, and to the United States
11 Pretrial Services Officer.

12 DATED this 16th day of August, 2019.

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15 MICHELLE L. PETERSON
16 United States Magistrate Judge
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